RESOLUTION NO. 4265

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMINSTER, AMENDING RESOLUTION NO 4259 GOVERNING WATER RATES AND CHARGES FOR WATER SERVICE

THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMINSTER DO HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 4259 was adopted on September 9, 2009; and

WHEREAS, the resolution needs to be modified to correct an inadvertent overstatement of the Fire Service Usage Charge in section 5(A)(2); and

WHEREAS, the proposed amendment reflects a reduction from the Fire Service Usage Charge approved on September 9, 2009, therefore the requirements of Article XIIID, Section 6, of the California Constitution do not apply.

NOW, THEREFORE, Resolution No. 4259, which adopts administrative rules and regulations for City of Westminster water system, is hereby amended as follows:

Section 5 is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

SECTION 5. METER AND FIRE CHARGES

The City shall charge and collect, in advance, for each water connection made with its water system in accordance with the adopted fees and charges of the City.

- A. CHANGE OF METER LOCATION OR SIZE. Any person desiring to change the location or size of an existing service/meter shall make application to the Water Division. Charges shall be in accordance with the current City Fees and Charges Schedule.
- B. PRIVATE FIRE PROTECTION SERVICE. The City will assess approved charges to customers for private fire lines used exclusively for fire protection, whether said lines are connected with automatic sprinkling systems or private fire hydrants.
- (1) Fire Service Installation: City's labor charges shall be in accordance with the current City Fees and Charges Schedule, plus applicable meter and material charges, if any.
- (2) Fire Service Usage: The Fire Service Charge for private fire lines shall be the sum of the Customer Charge and the Variable Water Commodity Charge.

a) The Customer Charge for providing fire service is calculated at the rate of \$0.594 per month multiplied by the number of equivalent meters (EM's) and shall be as follows:

Fire Service Size (EM's)		Bi-monthly Charge		
2"	(8)	\$9.50		
4"	(25)	\$29.70		
6"	(50)	\$59.40		
8"	(80)	\$95.04		
10"	(115)	\$136.62		
12"	(155)	\$184.14		

b) The Variable Water Commodity Charge per CCF for Fire Service shall be as set forth in the chart below. Usage shall be based upon the volume of water consumed, as measured by metering or as calculated by the City Engineer.

		FY		FY	
Description	2009/10		2010/11		
		"			
Rate per ccf	\$	2.00	\$	2.28	

This resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 14th day of October 2009, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS: RICE, TA, FRY

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS: QUACH ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS: NONE ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS: DIEP

Margie L. Bise MARGIE LI RICE, MAYOR

ATTEST:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA) COUNTY OF ORANGE) s. CITY OF WESTMINSTER)

I, ROBIN ROBERTS, do hereby certify that I am the duly appointed City Clerk of the City of Westminster, and that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at a regular meeting of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Westminster held on the 14th day of October 2009.

Robin Roberts City Clerk